

AMENDMENTS

IN THE TITLE:

Please replace the title currently on file with the following:

"PORTABLE INFORMATION TERMINAL DEVICE USING A SINGLE

IMAGING ELEMENT TO PERFORM IDENTITY VERIFICATION"

Application No.: 09/703,783 Docket No.: \$2856.0018/P018

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 28, line 1 (Abstract) as follows:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A portable information terminal device comprising: an enclosure [[180]] of the portable information terminal device, an imaging element [[143]] provided within the enclosure [[180]], a first lens [[141]] provided within the enclosure [[180]] for the imaging element [[143]], a second lens [[142]], which focal length is shorter than that of the first lens, provided within the enclosure [[180]] for the imaging element [[143]], a lens selection means [[180]], provided within the enclosure [[180]], for selecting one of the first lens [[141]] and the second lens [[142]] so that a focal point of a selected lens is at the imaging element [[143]], and a transparent plate [[122]] for pressing a tip of a finger [[131]] of [[an]] a user of the portable information terminal device, wherein the imaging element [[143]] captures a fingerprint of the tip of the finger [[131]] on the transparent plate [[122]] by the second lens [[142]] selected by the lens selection means [[180]].